

## SNAGS AND DOWN WOOD

### **bdbsnngwd (.dbf, .db)**

#### Field Definitions:

HUC6	–	Subwatershed, 12 character numeric code.
H6_ACRES	–	Area of subwatershed (HUC6) in Acres. <u>This is a double precision data field that was calculated from the H6 Hect field. This is the most accurate “official” version of acres per Huc6.</u>
HI_LS	–	Historic Year 0 Large Snags (LS) per acre for HUC6 (to 5 decimal places). Multiply by H6_ACRES to calculate numbers of Large Snags for Subwatershed.
HI_SS	–	Historic Year 0 Small Snags (SS) per acre for HUC6 (to 5 decimal places). Multiply by H6_ACRES to calculate numbers of Small Snags for Subwatershed.
HI_LD	–	Historic Year 0 Large Down Wood (LD) per acre for HUC6 (to 5 decimal places). Multiply by H6_ACRES to calculate numbers of Large Down Wood for Subwatershed.
HI_SD	–	Historic Year 0 Small Down Wood (SD) per acre for HUC6 (to 5 decimal places). Multiply by H6_ACRES to calculate numbers of Small Down Wood for Subwatershed.
CUR_LS	–	Current Year 0 Large Snags (LS) per acre for HUC6 (to 5 decimal places). Multiply by H6_ACRES to calculate numbers of Large Snags for Subwatershed.
CUR_SS	–	Current Year 0 Small Snags (SS) per acre for HUC6 (to 5 decimal places). Multiply by H6_ACRES to calculate numbers of Small Snags for Subwatershed.
CUR_LD	–	Current Year 0 Large Down Wood (LD) per acre for HUC6 (to 5 decimal places). Multiply by H6_ACRES to calculate numbers of Large Down Wood for Subwatershed.
CUR_SD	–	Current Year 0 Small Down Wood (SD) per acre for HUC6 (to 5 decimal places). Multiply by H6_ACRES to calculate numbers of Small Down Wood for Subwatershed.

## REQUIREMENTS FOR PROCESSING SNAGS AND DOWN WOOD

**NOTE:** This documentation contains processing information for projected as well as current information. The projected data can be found in the released dataset SDEIS Landscape Variables Database (DBSLNDSV, #968).

**Process 1.0** – Assign Terrestrial Community Groups to Vegetation Data.

**Process 1.1** – Assign Terrestrial Community Groups to H2 Veg Year 0 / H6AMPH data.

**Process 1.2** – Assign Terrestrial Community Groups to S1 Veg Year 0 / H6AMPH data.  
These data may be available from previous Variable work.

**Process 1.3** – Assign Terrestrial Community Groups to X1/XxVegYr / H6AMPH data.  
These data may be available from previous Variable work.

**Process 2.0** – Assign Snag/Downed Wood Classes (SDW), Density Classes (DC) and Density per Hectare (D).

The possible SDW classes are:

Large Snag (Lsng)

Small Snag (Ssng)

Large Down Wood (Ldwd)

Small Down Wood (Sdwd)

The possible DC classes are:

Abundant (A)

Common (C)

None (N)

Rare (R)

Uncommon (U)

**Process 2.1** – Assign SDW and DC to Historic Year 0 /H6AMPH/TCG data.

Use SNGDWD lookup table, with a key of PVG,HDI,TCG combinations to assign Large Snag (Lsng), Small Snag (Ssng), Large Down Wood (Ldwd), and Small Down Wood (Sdwd) classes and Density Classes (DC).

$H2LsngDc = LsngHrv$

$H2SsngDc = SsngHrv$

$H2LdwdDc = LdwdHrv$

$H2SdwdDc = SdwdHrv$

**Process 2.2** – Determine Rx assignments per /H6AMPH/TCG strata for S1yr0, X1/Xx for all years.

**Process 2.3** – Assign SDW and DC to S1yr0 , X1/Xx /H6AMPH/TCG strata for all years.

Use SNGDWD lookup table, with a key of PVG,HDI,TCG combinations to assign Large Snag (Lsng), Small Snag (Ssng), Large Down Wood (Ldwd), and Small Down Wood (Sdwd) classes.

Where Rx = A1,A2,A3,N1,N4

X1/Xx LsngDc = LsngHrv

X1/Xx SsngDc = SsngHrv

X1/Xx LdwdDc = LdwdHrv

X1/Xx SdwdDc = SdwdHrv

Where Rx = C1,N6,P1, N2, N7

X1/Xx LsngDc = LsngTrs

X1/Xx SsngDc = SsngTrs

X1/Xx LdwdDc = LdwdTrs

X1/Xx SdwdDc = SdwdTrs

Where Rx = C2,C3,N3,N5,N8,P2,P3

X1/Xx LsngDc = LsngTcm

X1/Xx SsngDc = SsngTcm

X1/Xx LdwdDc = LdwdTcm

X1/Xx SdwdDc = SdwdTcm

**Process 2.4** – Assign Density of Snags/Downed Wood to H2yr 0 , S1yr0 , X1/XxYr /H6AMPH/TCG strata for all years based on the Density Classes from Process 2.3.

The following table is in (number of snags or downed wood) / hectare. Where Density Class represents the classes contained per H6AMPH/TCG in the variables from Process 2.3 , LsngDc, SsngDc, LdwdDc, and SdwdDc.

These values represent the numeric mid-point of density within a class.

Density Class	LsngD	SsngD	LdwdD	SdwdD
A	20	77	25	309
C	9	46	25	154
U	4	22	4	43
R	1	6	1	12
N	0	0	0	0

For LsngDc assign LsngD values.

For SsngDc assign SsngD values.

For LdwdDc assign LdwdD values.

For SdwdDc assign SdwdD values.

**Process 2.5** – Calculate number of snags/downed wood per Snag Type (Dn) for H2yr0, S1yr0, X1/XxYr for all years at the H6AMPH/TCG level.

H6AMPH/TCG LsngDn = H6AMPH/TCG LsngD \* H6AMPH/TCG hectares

H6AMPH/TCG SsngDn = H6AMPH/TCG SsngD \* H6AMPH/TCG hectares

H6AMPH/TCG LdwdDn = H6AMPH/TCG LdwdD \* H6AMPH/TCG hectares

H6AMPH/TCG SdwdDn = H6AMPH/TCG SdwdD \* H6AMPH/TCG hectares

**Process 3.0** – Calculate weighted average of density (Da) Per Huc6 and per

Snag Type for H2yr0, S1yr0, X1/XxYr for all years.

**NOTE:** This weighted average calculation may have to occur at various levels, one for each report type strata since down wood is not usually reported by number but by amount per area. In the following calculations Strata can represent whatever unit is being used to report/deliver these data.

General Formula:

LsngDa = Number of LsngDn per Strata / Sum of hectares or acres per Strata.

SsngDa = Sum of SsngDn per Strata / Sum of hectares or acres per Strata.

LdwdDa = Sum of LdwdDn per Strata / Sum of hectares or acres per Strata.

SdwdDa = Sum of SdwdDn per Strata / Sum of hectares or acres per Strata.

**Process 3.1** – For Deliverable file calculate **H6Da** for Lsng,Ssng,Ldwd,Sdwd where Strata = HUC6.

**Process 3.2** – For Report Format 1 calculate **OPDa** for Lsng,Ssng,Ldwd,Sdwd where Strata = OWN/PVTGRP.

**Process 3.3** – For Report Format 2 calculate **OMPDa** for Lsng,Ssng,Ldwd,Sdwd where Strata = OWN/MRG/PVTGRP.

**Process 3.4** – For Report Format 3 calculate **OMRPDa** for Lsng,Ssng,Ldwd,Sdwd where Strata = OWN/MRG/RACPAC/PVTGRP.